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SUBJECT: SOVIET INVITATION FOR EXCHANGE OF NAVAL VISITS
WITH NORWAY

REF: NATO 6984 (DTG 200759Z JUL 77)

1. AT SEPTEMBER 6 POLADS MEETING, NORWEGIAN REP REPORTED
THAT EXCHANGE OF NAVAL VISITS BETWEEN NORWAY AND USSR IS
NOW FIRM, WITH TWO SOVIET DESTROYERS OR FRIGATES SCHEDULED
TO VISIT OSLO OCT 10 THROUGH 15 AND TWO FRIGATES FROM
NORWAY CALLING AT LENINGRAD OCT 10 THROUGH 14. THE NOR-
WEGIAN SHIPS WILL NOT VISIT TALLIN. NORWEGIAN REP SAID
HE HAD REPORTED COMMENTS (REFTEL) ON ACCEPTING SOVIET IN-
VITATIONS FOR NAVAL VISITS TO PORTS IN ESTONIA, LATVIA
AND LITHUANIA, BUT HE DID NOT HAVE BACKGROUND ON NOR-
WEGIAN DECISION TO VISIT LENINGRAD ONLY.

2. THE NORWEGIANS EXPECT SOVIET SHIPS TO BE UNDER THE
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COMMAND OF VICE ADMIRAL KRAGLAKOV, SECOND IN COMMAND OF
THE SOVIET NORTHERN FLEET. REAR ADM STEIMLMER WILL
COMMAND THE NORWEGIAN SHIPS. BENNETT

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